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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed from the Patent Office on November 29, 2005, Applicants provisionally elect with traverse to prosecute Species I of Figure 1B, Claims 2-18 and generic claims 1, 22, and 31. Applicants hereby withdraw Claims 19-21 and 23-30 but reserve the right to prosecute these claims in a subsequent divisional application.

A listing of the claims in the present application is appended hereto.

REMARKS

Claims 1-31 are pending. The Examiner has required a 3 way restriction (species I to III) based on some of the figures. The Examiner has stated currently there are generic claims 1, 22, and 31. In addition the Examiner requires Applicant pick the claims associated with the figures. The Applicant respectfully traverses the restriction.